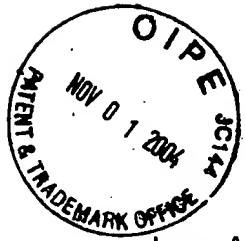


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In re Application of:)
Scott J. WOLF et al.) Group Art Unit: 3762
Application No.: 09/534,038) Examiner: P. Bianco
Filed: March 24, 2000) Confirmation No. 2278
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ARTERIES AND METHODS)
FOR CORONARY BYPASS)

Commissioner for Patents
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a Petition for Extension of Time, an Amendment and a Terminal Disclaimer.
The item checked below is appropriate:

- A check for \$110.00 to cover the \$55.00 extension of time fee and the \$55.00 terminal disclaimer fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this Amendment and charge any additional required fees to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Dated: November 1, 2004

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